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PRICE TWO CENTS

EDUCATOR FAVORS "SIX AND SIX" PLAN

Seymour Schools First in State to Adopt Method Approved by Education Bureau.

REPORT FILED BY CLAXTON

Superintendent Mott Tells of Advantages Offered Pupils Under The New Arrangement.

As the Seymour public schools are the first in Indiana to adopt the "six and six" plan of education, the report of the federal bureau of education approving the method is of interest. The report was prepared by Commissioner of Education Claxton, an authority on school questions.

This plan was adopted by Superintendent Mott at the first of this year and attracted wide attention in school circles in Indiana. The elementary course is arranged to cover a six year period and the high school embraces the same length of time. While a few of the larger high schools in Indiana have arranged for junior and senior high schools in separate buildings, the local school is the first in the state to adopt the "six and six" plan in one building.

In speaking of the advantages of the new plan Superintendent Mott presented a number of arguments which are not embraced in the report of Mr. Claxton:

"I believe the best piece of work done in the schools here is in the adoption of the Six and Six plan in the division of the grades of the school. We have but six elementary grades in the Ward schools, and have the complete six year high school working as one body, with one corps of teachers in one organization. Recitations are all heard in the classrooms or laboratories, and large study rooms are at all times quiet, where all students who are not busy in recitation go to study."

"Pupils enter the school at the beginning of the Seventh grade and graduate at the end of the Twelfth. There is no break in the course. The old gap between the Eighth and Ninth grades is entirely closed, as the conditions of method and management are the same throughout the course, and no more new branches are taken at the beginning of the Ninth grade than at any other period of the course. When a pupil enters the school there is no reason so far as the organization of the school is concerned, to drop the work at any particular time."

"The regular high school management extends throughout. The high school facilities of library and laboratories extend to all. Seventh and Eighth grade boys take their manual training in the shops of the regular high school. Seventh and Eighth grade girls receive instructions in domestic science and domestic art in the high school laboratories and under the regular high school teacher."

"Again, throughout the six year high school promotion is by subject rather than by grades. If a uniform course of study through these grades is bad, promotion by grades is worse. To force pupils at this age to not

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FIVE DIVORCES ARE ASKED IN CIRCUIT COURT IN TWO DAYS
One Plaintiff Given a Decree and Obtains Marriage License From Clerk Few Hours Later.

This has been "divorce week" in circuit court, five complaints having been filed Monday and today.

Effie Stogdill was granted a divorce from Wm. Stogdill Monday morning and in the afternoon again sought the bonds of matrimony when a marriage license was granted to Effie Stogdill and Alfred Day.

Maryme D. Blevins seeks a legal separation from Chas. L. Blevins and the custody of the two children. Mrs. Blevins alleges cruel and inhuman treatment.

Louisa J. Stafford asks the court to grant her a divorce from Chas. J. Stafford whom she married in 1886. She alleges that the defendant has treated her in an inhuman manner and that this is the second time she has appealed to the court for a separation.

Lula Sons wishes a divorce from her husband, Daniel, charging him with cruel and inhuman treatment. She alleges that he struck and cursed her and was mean to the children of whom she wishes the custody, there being three, two boys and a girl.

Anna J. Hamilton of Medora, filed suit for divorce against James L. Hamilton, alleging cruel and inhuman treatment.

Emma Adam asks a separation from her husband, Edward J. Adam, alleging cruel treatment and that he has repeatedly threatened her life and the lives of her relatives. An injunction is also asked to prevent him from molesting the family in any way. Mrs. Adam wishes the custody of the four children who range in age from 3 to 10 years.

NIGHT YARD FOREMAN IS PAINFULLY INJURED

John Quinn, B. & O. Employee, Thrown Against Elevator While Riding on Car Step.

John Quinn, night foreman at the B. & O. Southwestern Railroad yards, met with a painful accident Monday night while riding on a box car that was being taken to a siding near the elevator. The car was pulled by the yard engine and was moving rapidly. It was swaying from side to side and as it passed the elevator Mr. Quinn was thrown against the heavy timbers. He was hanging on the step at the side of the car.

His head was severely bruised and he suffered a painful injury to his left eye. Fortunately he was not rendered unconscious and retained presence of mind to hold to the car. If he had dropped or had been thrown from the step he would have probably been dragged under the wheels. He was able to visit the yards today but it will be several days before he resumes his duties there.

Notice I. O. O. F.

All members requested to meet at half one o'clock p. m., Wednesday, March 25th, to attend the funeral of Brother Slagle.

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Kroeger and Hammer are in the lead for the championship with a tie score at the Rifle Range.

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GEORGE SLAGLE IS COMMITTEE NAMED CALLED BY DEATH FOR THE CAMPAIGN

Served as City Engineer for More Than Twenty Years and Was Widely Known in County.

WAS A CIVIL WAR VETERAN TO BE CONDUCTED APRIL 13-18

Took a Deep Interest in Early Good Roads Movement and Advocated Drainage of Low Lands.

George Slagle, one of the pioneers in the movement to reclaim the lowlands of Jackson county, one of the early advocates of good roads and for more than twenty years city engineer of Seymour, died at 6:30 o'clock Monday night at his home on North Ewing street after a short illness of a complication of diseases resulting from his advanced age. He was eighty years of age having celebrated his birthday anniversary on January 30th.

Mr. Slagle had been in failing health for several years but his condition was not serious until about a week ago. He suffered an attack of pneumonia recently but had recovered although his system was left in a weakened condition. He made all the arrangements for his funeral several days before his death. At his request the services will be in charge of the I. O. O. F. Lodge of which he was a member for many years. The G. A. R. will also attend in a body. Mr. Slagle requested that there be no flowers at his funeral and the family requests that no floral offerings be sent in compliance with his wishes. The services will be conducted from the family residence at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Dr. D. L. Thomas, pastor of the First M. E. church, officiating. Burial will be at Riverview cemetery.

The deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Slagle and was born January 30, 1834, in Gallion county, Ohio. He was of an industrious and frugal character and when a young man desired to obtain an education. He taught school for a number of years to earn sufficient money to obtain a better education along the lines in which he was interested.

In 1857 Mr. Slagle came to Jackson county and soon afterwards was married to Miss Samantha Atkins, also a resident of this county. A few months after his marriage he moved to Iowa and engaged in agricultural pursuits. In 1861 he enlisted in the Second Regiment of Iowa Volunteer Infantry for three months. After serving his full time he returned home but re-enlisted in the Thirty-Sixth Iowa Infantry in 1862 for three years. He continued in the service of his country until September, 1865, when he received an honorable discharge. While in the army his family lived in Jackson county. After he left the army he returned to this county and had resided here continuously.

Having a deep interest in civil engineering, Mr. Slagle secured what knowledge he could at school and obtained much practical information on the subject while in the army in the construction of fortifications and the reconstruction of damaged railroads.

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DREAMLAND TONIGHT NO. 1 and No. 2

"DIVORCE"

(Kay Bee 2 Reel Feature)

No. 3—"MABEL'S BARE ESCAPE"

(Keystone Comedy)

Five Dollars IN SILVER GIVEN AWAY Each Friday Night

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Chicks, Ducks, Eggs

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EATS QUANTITY OF CANDY COVERED WITH RAT POISON

August Kroeger Swallows Some Strychnine and Arsenic But Has Fully Recovered.

August Kroeger, a linotype operator employed at the Graessle-Merger Company, has recovered from the effects of eating a quantity of strychnine and arsenic. August has a reputation among his friends for his ravenous appetite and is accustomed to eating about anything that is in easy reach but has discovered by his new experience that rat poison is not regarded by the best physicians as an aid to digestion.

Saturday afternoon Kroeger purchased the poisons with the intention of getting rid of some rodents around his house. He placed the sack securely in his coat pocket but while riding home on a bicycle some of the contents were shaken through the folds of the sack and fell in his pocket. Sunday afternoon he was hungry for candy and bought some chocolates. In order that he might not be troubled with the sack he put the loose candy in his pocket where the rat poison had been. When the candy had about disappeared August began to get sick and remembered about the deadly sack. He lost no time in administering an antidote and was soon pronounced out of danger. An examination of the lining of his pocket showed that quite a large amount of the poison had fallen from the paper sack.

MAN ORDERED FROM SEYMOUR ARRESTED AT BROWNSTOWN

Gave His Name as Spear and Said He Lived at Orleans—in Company With Four-Year-Old Girl.

A young man who said his name was Spear and that he was a native of Orleans, was arrested at Brownstown this afternoon by Sheriff Robertson and lodged in the county jail charged with a minor offense.

It is said that a more serious charge will be investigated before he is released. When arrested he was in company with a four year old girl and his actions caused the neighbors who were watching him to become alarmed.

Spear had been in Seymour for several days and is said to have been employed here. He was ordered from the city this morning by the police. He said he was twenty-four years of age but when questioned by Sheriff Robertson he gave his age as nineteen. His actions here caused the police to become suspicious and resulted in his departure from the city.

REBELS EXPECT TO TAKE TORREON IN FEW HOURS

Desperate Battle is Being Waged by Villa's Forces—Suburb Captured Today.

By United Press.

Gomez Palacio, Mexico, March 24—Sweeping aside all federal resistance, General Villa's forces this afternoon began the final assault on Torreon. A suburb was taken by the rebels today.

It is expected that the rebels will take the city of Torreon in a few hours. This is President Huerta's last stronghold in northern Mexico. Desperate fighting has been going on for several hours.

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RICHMOND CLOSES OPTION CAMPAIGN

Result Anxiously Awaited Throughout the State After a Long and Bitter Battle.

NO PREDICTIONS ARE MADE

S. E. Nicholson Conducted Battle for Temperance People and J. Bennett Gordon Led "Wets."

By United Press.

Richmond, Ind., March 24—"Leaders of the Wet" forces are claiming victory by one thousand in today's option election. There is great excitement around the polls and three arrests have been made. Eight percent of the total vote was cast at 12 o'clock indicating that the vote will be one of the heaviest ever cast in this city.

Richmond, Ind., March 24.—When the polls opened here today they marked the last lap of a liquor fight that has rivaled if not outdistanced that of Muncie in bitterness. There was every indication that a heavy ballot would be polled, for both sides had made thorough arrangements for getting out the vote.

S. E. Nicholson for the "dry" and J. Bennett Gordon for the "wets" were asked for a statement predicting the result. Neither would respond, and it was believed neither cared to have the state bear on the final day a statement that might appear ludicrous by night.

There was a general feeling that the "wets" had more at stake here today than the "dry." Should the "dry" lose it would mean a second defeat here, but the total in the state would not be massed heavily against them. Should the "wets" lose, it would mean the loss of the fifth "wet" city in as many weeks, and would indicate that a wave of "dry" sentiment is sweeping over Indiana, for at the last election the "wet" majority was a large one here.

The "dry" have had the advantage of the active support of the Richmond Item, while the "wets" had no organ. The Palladium has remained neutral. Day after day the Item has appeared with a three-column editorial down the middle of the front page, hitting at Gordon, its former editor. It has even cartooned him as leading "a hell of a parade", thus taking advantage of an expression Gordon once used in describing a liquor parade in this city.

Though the "wets" have had no paper, they have bought four columns of space in each paper daily and recently have used full-page display ads and therein have appeared articles by Gordon, attacking the arguments of the "dry" and the personnel of the "dry" leadership.

The "wets" have made good advantage of the fact that Richmond's saloons have been well regulated. They have asked that they be retained and that the "blind tiger" be avoided.

S. Edgar Nicholsen, author of the Nicholsen law, has led the "dry," and in many ways it has been a personal battle between him and Gordon. An interesting phase is that both Nicholsen and Gordon have been actively

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MAJESTIC TONIGHT

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A Classy Trio, Introducing Singing, Whistling and Novelty Dancing, Featuring Whistling and Novelty Chair Dancing.

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(C) "ORPHANS OF THE WILD" Drama (Pathé) with Eugene McConell, Tom Farman, Violet Radcliffe, Lillian Clark and Chas. K. French.

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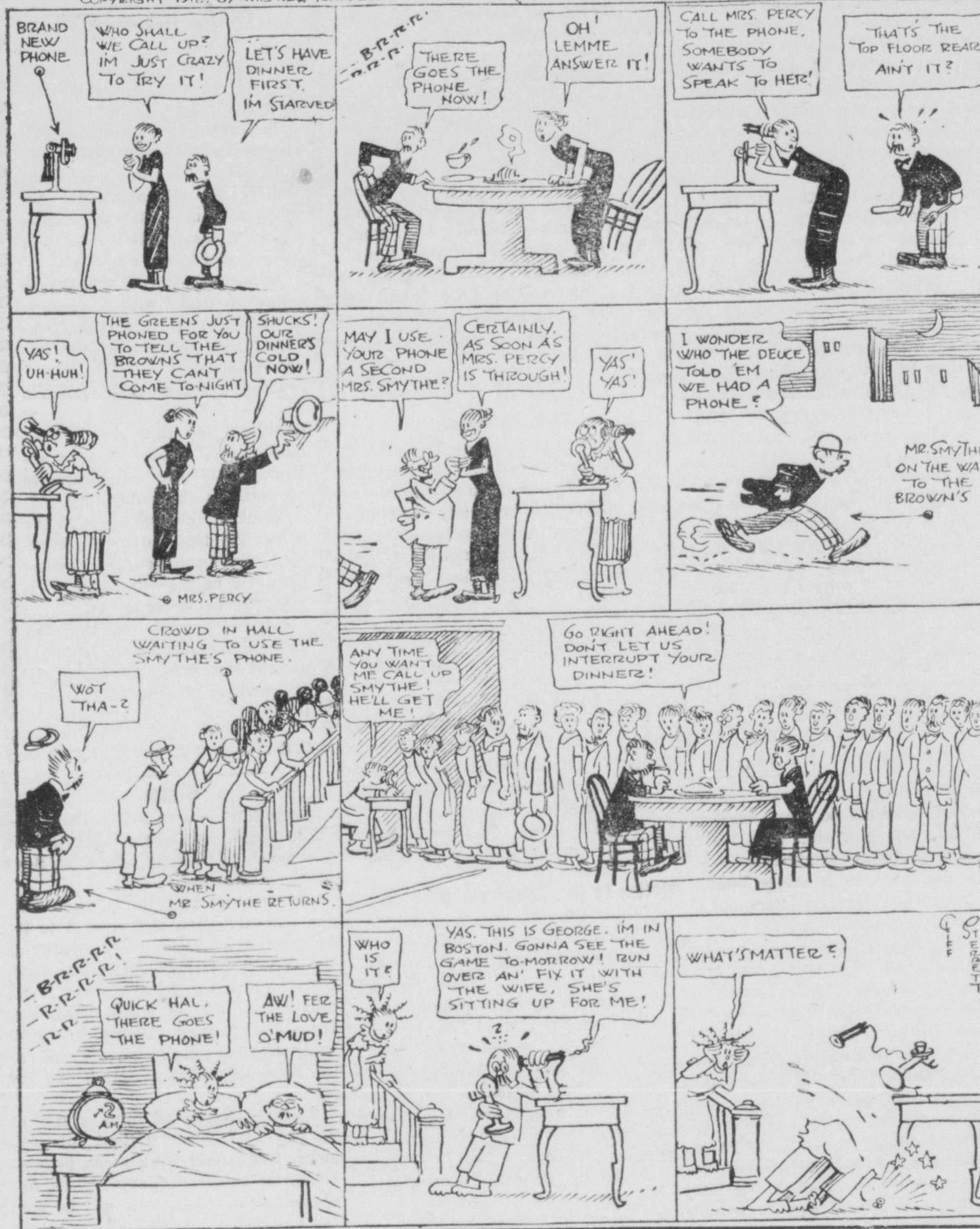
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The April American Magazine.

The April American Magazine contains the first installment of a new serial story entitled "Bamby," by Marjorie Benton Cooke. No country but America could produce a girl like Bamby—a creature of buoyant, splendid spirit and ingenious wit. "Bamby" starts out like a real story—a captivating love story full of comedy and adventure.

A remarkable contribution to the new issue of the American is Mary Antin's article entitled "They Who Knock at Our Gates." Mary Antin is a brilliant young Russian Jewess who has only been in this country a few years. She gives in this article a wonderful presentation of the idea that our immigrants have the courage and faith of pioneers and that they are in many ways the best part of our population—an infusion of new blood of inestimable value to America.

Other articles are "American Gambling and Gamblers," by Hugh S. Fullerton; "Seeing America," by Ray Stannard Baker; "An Adventure in Education," by Albert Jay Nock; and "The Slump in the Theatrical Business," by Walter Prichard Eaton.

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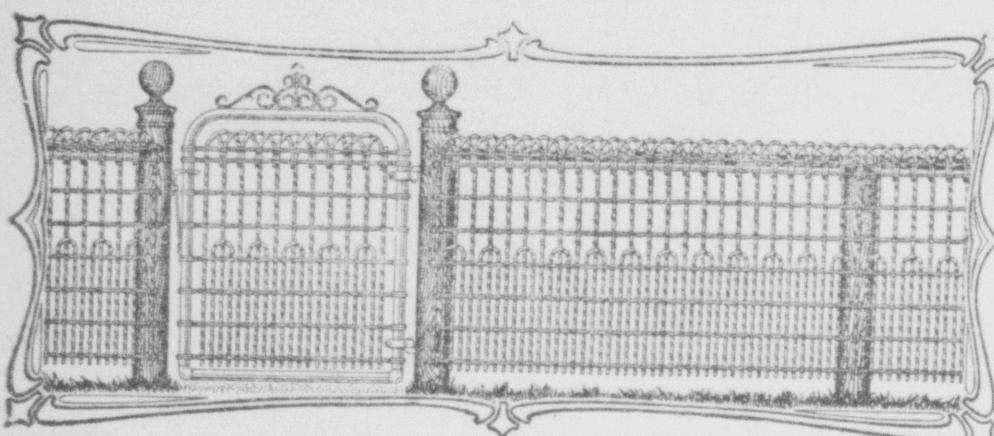
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TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 1914.

THE PRIMARY PLAN.

The recent results of the primary election laws cause one to stop and reflect if they are in reality a panacea for political ills as those who favor the plan would have us believe. In theory the primary laws place the power in the hands of the voters, but experience has shown that there is a grave question if it does in practice.

The primary plan gives wealthy machine bosses an opportunity to spend their money freely to the detriment of other candidates who are not in a position to bear the expense. The real purpose of the plan is, of course, to eliminate boss control but no positive proof has yet been given that the law satisfactorily does this.

The Ft. Wayne News says regarding the primary law:

"We have already had some experience in Indiana with primary election laws and it will hardly be claimed that that experience has been of a nature to make us particularly enthusiastic. The truth is that the primary as we have known it has proved a dismal failure. It has been very expensive both for the candidates and the public; it has not had the effect of drawing the voters to the polls in any numbers, and it certainly has not enhanced the quality of the candidates. On the contrary the reverse is true. The double election system, which the primary involves, has forced many men who would have made admirable officials to renounce all political ambitions. They have neither the time nor the money to make a two-heat race for the same office. So they have simply quit."

"The state-wide primary, however, has added objections which we have not met in our local contests. To begin with, it is manifestly impossible for the average man to vote intelligently on a large field of state candidates. To be sure, the wealthier candidates, by devoting several months' time and a large sum of money, can make a tolerable canvass of the state, but even at that they meet a comparatively few of the voters. It is impossible for them or their agents to present to the masses their claims for recognition, as these claims can very easily be presented to something less than two thousand representative citizens composing a

Being well read and fully informed on the questions of the day, Mr. Slagle was much interested in many achievements of his country. He followed the construction of the Panama canal closely and on his eightieth birthday stated that it had been his desire to see that great contract completed. He believed in the Republican principles of government and cast his first vote for John C. Fremont in 1856. He was well acquainted

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convention. The average man who attends a primary simply will not qualify himself by study and research, and this fact has been painfully attested by the experience of the few states that have taken up the fad. As a consequence in a statewide primary the ordinary citizen votes for two or three candidates because of some whim or bias and votes for the balance blindly."

It seems to us that the primary law will give candidates living in the central part of the state a decided advantage over those residing in outlying counties. A candidate living in Marion county or one of the adjoining counties would probably have a larger acquaintance in that territory than in other sections of the state. As these counties are thickly populated they would be given an advantageous position. Furthermore, the adoption of the primary plan would give an advantage to orators for the best method of appealing to the voters would be by public speaking. In other words the state house would be filled with silver tongued orators, many of whom would probably not be as well equipped for the positions they would hold as others who were not gifted in public speaking.

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Time Extended.

Owing to the large crowds attending our demonstration last week we have extended the time on our special offer of free service to any one on our line of mains who purchases a gas range. The same bargains in gas ranges we advertised last week will hold good this week. Take advantage of this liberal offer.

The Interstate Public Service Co.

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Attention, Teachers!

On March 26 the Traction Company will run two sections of the 9:15 limited to accommodate those who wish to attend the Teachers' Association at Indianapolis.

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Notice to the Telephone Subscribers.

This is the only way by which you will be notified of your telephone rent, which must be paid by the twenty-fifth of this month. Trust you will look after this matter promptly.

The Seymour Mutual Telephone Co.

Notice Pocahontas.

All members urged to be present Tuesday evening, March 24, as there will be a class of ten candidates to be given the work.

Grace Brown, Pocahontas.

M. R. Brich, K. of R.

We are making a special price on Lime Sulphur in barrel lots, as we are overstocked. Now is a good time to make your purchase, as you will need considerable when spraying your fruit trees thoroughly for San Jose scale, which should be done this week.

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Mrs. Sarah McCollan, who has been seriously ill at the home of her daughter in Cincinnati with pneumonia, is improving.

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Republican Want Ads. Pay.

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Think of the businesses in the same line that do not advertise—that is, if you can remember their names—and then do a little mental comparison.

It's not hard to see that the men who deserve your support are the men who are advertising and making good on their promises.

Notice.

Executors' notice of private sale of 20 shares of the capital stock of the Seymour National Bank of Seymour, Indiana.

By virtue of an order of the Jackson Circuit Court, and subject to its approval the undersigned executor of the estate of Mary Beyers, deceased, will at the hour of one o'clock p.m., of the first day of April, 1914, and from day to day thereafter until sold, offer for sale at private sale, at the Seymour National Bank, of Seymour, Indiana,

Twenty shares of bank stock of the Seymour National Bank, of Seymour, Ind. Said bank stock belonging to the estate of Mary Beyers, deceased, said bank stock will be sold for not less than the full appraised value thereof, and for cash.

HENRY C. JOHNSON, Executor of the estate of Mary Beyers, deceased.

J. H. KAMMAN, Attorney for Executor. M31d

Notice Pocahontas.

The Pocahontas will initiate a class of candidates at their meeting Tuesday night. All members urged to be present. Meeting called at 7:30.

Ruth Brown, Pocahontas.

Emma Albrich, K. of R.

Paint up. Clean up. For painting see F. Klosterman. Phone No. 312-R-2.

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Delicious Corn Crisp at all groceries and candy stores.

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The BUICK line for 1914 covers a wide range of selection.

For a man who wants just a light runabout, there's the \$950 roadster. It has a motor that's a wonder, is good looking, easy riding, and there's all kinds of power and speed.

The touring car on the same chassis is a buy that makes everybody who knows the car wonder how we do it for the money.

Spring Caps Are Ready

About this time the old Winter Hat begins to look a trifle bad, and possibly you are not ready to get a Spring Hat. A Cap can help you out on this. English Golf and Norfolk Caps in the newest shades and patterns.

50c, \$1.00, \$1.50

Elegant showing at every price.

THE-HUB

Our Regular Prices

These may look like specials. They are only regular selling prices. We sell on the closest possible margin every day in the year:

Fresh Eggs, .18c, 2 dozen for 35c
Fresh Butter, lb., .25c & 30c
Potatoes, bu., .90c
Pure Lard, lb., .15c
Best Navy Beans, lb., .32c
Red Kidney Beans, lb., .75c
No. 1 Wine Sap Apples, pk., .60c
No. 1 Roman Beauty Apples, pk., .60c
Full Cream Cheese, lb., .25c
Brick Cheese, lb., .25c
Lemons, dozen, .20c
Best Head Rice, 3 lbs., .25c
Lenox Soap, 3 bars, .10c
Eddys Baking Powder, lb. can, .25c
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lb. bag, .50c
San Marto Coffee, lb., .32c
Search Light Matches, 3 boxes, .10c
Seed Potatoes, Onion Sets, Garden and Flower Seeds.

REVOLVER SHOT CHECKED FLIGHT

Sensational Incident On City's Busiest Street.

AN ALLEGED "WHITE SLAVER"

Sought to Make a Getaway From Police at the Most Thronged Corner of the State Capitol and Is Pursued in the Chief Retail Streets. Crowds Enter the Chase, Until Policeman's Bullet Put a Stop to His Flight.

H. T. PECK
Former Columbian Professor Gives Way Before Adversary.



COLLEGE PROFESSOR GIVES UP STRUGGLE

Harry Thurston Peck Ends It All By Suicide.

Stamford, Conn., March 24.—In a furnished room at 31 Bell street, which he has been occupying for the past two weeks, Harry Thurston Peck, until 1910 professor of Latin at Columbia university, shot and killed himself. He left no explanation for his act, except as might be found in a marked passage of "Science and Health; a Key to the Scriptures," which lay open on his table, but the whole trend of his life since he left Columbia, together with a great many remarks he has dropped to his first wife, his secretary and others who came into intimate contact with him lay bare his reasons.

He has been a failure, he felt, and there was no way in which he could change his destiny. His friends had fallen away from him, his earning capacity had diminished, his health was none too good and his home life was not such as he found enjoyment in. He felt himself unable to face a cheerless future, without constant friendly contact with men of education and polish, in which he received his greatest pleasure and without certain knowledge that he would be able to support himself. He had slid down the scale ever since Esther Quinn, who had been his stenographer, brought suit for breach of promise for \$50,000 in the spring of 1910. Since the publication of his letters to her he had never been the same man; he had lost his position of honor and responsibility in Columbia; publishers who had been eager to buy his writings before then became shy; his health broke down completely a year ago and he feared a recurrence of this.

Two weeks ago he hired a room for \$4 a week in a second-class rooming house here. He had been gloomy during all his time here.

LAFE CHOATE IS SUBDUED

Man Who Hitched Wife to Plow Tamed by New Partner.

Liberty, Mo., March 24.—Lafe Choate, who became infamous two years ago, when he hitched his wife with a pair of mules and plowed with her in a cornfield, has married again. More than that, he is hen-pecked. The primeval brute who whipped his wife like a horse when she fell in the traces, is as submissive as a child to the former Miss Bessie Evans of Kansas City, who since last week has been his bride.

There is a reason. Mrs. Choate weighs 200 pounds. At the first sign of trouble she put her foot down and announced that if Choate did not behave he would do a little plowing himself alongside some of his mules. Choate got real good.

Not Mentally Responsible.
Hartford City, Ind., March 24.—Mrs. H. O. Miller, who killed her month-old son and cut her own throat Feb. 24, is relieved of responsibility for her act in the coroner's verdict, which holds that the mother was mentally deranged at the time of the tragedy. Mrs. Miller is recovering.

WEATHER EVERYWHERE

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p.m. yesterday follow:

Temp.	Weather.
Boston..... 36	Cloudy
New York.... 38	Cloudy
Denver..... 34	Clear
San Francisco. 52	Clear
St. Paul..... 16	Clear
Chicago..... 38	Clear
Indianapolis. 41	Clear
St. Louis..... 52	Clear
New Orleans... 56	Clear
Washington... 46	Clear
	Fair, warmer.

150,000-YEAR-OLD MAN AMAZES ANTHROPOLOGISTS

Remarkable Skeleton Found With Mammoth Fossils in East Africa.

Details about a remarkable human skeleton found in East Africa are contained in a dispatch from Berlin to the London Times, which says:

"Dr. Hans Reck of the Geological Institute of Berlin university discovered at Oldoway, in North German East Africa a human skeleton which for the anthropologist seems to be of the first importance.

"The remains were found with mammoth fossils, of which one is a tooth five inches long, and when these are compared with fossils it will be possible to determine the man's age.

"At present all that Dr. Reck can say is that the man is, roughly, 150,000 years old, and belongs to the diluvian period of Africa, which synchronizes with the ice period of northern Europe.

"It is a wonderful skull, wonderfully preserved, long, narrow, with an unmistakably negroid jaw, and the back of the head finely developed and deep. The ribs and breast are akin to those of the ape, but the skull is unmistakably human.

"There are indications that the muscles of the neck were enormously strong and that the man did not walk quite upright. His thirty-six teeth are complete and beautifully preserved. There are marks upon them as if they had been filed.

"The formation of the eye sockets and the bridge of the nose is akin to that of the primitive African bushman. The man was found lying on his back, with his head turned over to the right. His hands were before his face and his legs drawn up in a crouching position.

"Dr. Reck is almost certain that the position is not one of burial. On the spot where the man was found there was once a lake, and it is conjectured that the man was drowned and the body was gradually covered with deposits of sand and chalk, which, in the course of centuries turned into the volcanic tufa in which the skeleton was found."

POLICEWOMEN LEARN HOW TO GRAPPLE WITH THUGS.

Feminine Bluecoats of Chicago Take Up the Gentle Art of Jujutsu.

One dozen stalwart young women, recently sworn in as Chicago police officers, have acquired the first principles in a mode of defense and attack which enables "lone defenseless woman" to be a regular rough bully if she feels like it. The mode of defense is the jujutsu, the art of making 200 pound men beg for mercy, crippling husky thugs beyond power of resistance, and other branches of "humane" persuasion.

They are being instructed by Lieutenant Wesley H. Westbrook, chief instructor of the police school faculty.

One of the most interesting experiments is the "back twister." This is a mild operation by which the police woman will grasp you by the hand, but instead of holding it confidently she will give a mysterious wrench, and the next second your arm will be clasped to your spine and your body bent like a raggpicker's.

Then there is the neck twister, which some experts call the "Ursus act." By grasping a stubborn prisoner's chin a mild policewoman can twist his head and make him helpless as easily as Ursus subdued the bull before Emperor Nero. Sergeant Kilgore, an assistant instructor, has a neck and shoulders like solid masonry, and the young women were unable to give him the knockout twist. But Lieutenant Westbrook showed them a cunning little "tie hold," and when they tried it the ponderous sergeant was barely saved from crashing to the floor.

"It looks like a tango class, but it isn't," said "Professor" Westbrook as he surveyed the young women practicing gentle jujutsu in pairs. "When these women have become accomplished in seven or eight different holds, with a knowledge of the muscles and tendons affected, they will be more than a match for the untrained, though, no matter how hard he can wallop. They will be able to deal with the gum man, too, disarming him at the moment he is about to pull the trigger."

The revolver practice is causing the most trouble. Despite the prayers and exhortations of the teachers the women persist in shutting at least one eye when they fire.

TWINS ALL THROUGH LIFE.

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Reported by Fiala.

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THE LIBERALS ON DEFENSIVE

British Government Forced to Take Apologetic Stand.

THE UNIONISTS TRIUMPHANT

The Ulster "Flash in the Pan" Apparently Has Served Chiefly to Illuminate the Bitter Rivalries Between the Two Leading Political Parties and to Make the Home Rule Question Secondary to the Army Question.

London, March 24.—Bitter anger by the government's supporters and triumphant whoops by the Unionists are the immediate results of the ministry's handling of the army crisis.

The Unionists are not convinced by the ministerial declaration in the house of commons that the movement of troops was merely a precautionary measure to safeguard the depots of arms, ammunition and stores.

They have no doubt that the forcible coercion of Ulster was determined upon, but that the action of a number of officers in resigning had convinced the government that the army could not be employed for that purpose. For this reason the unconditional reinstatement of the officers is treated as an ignominious climb-down on the part of the government and attempts to explain the matter away are ridiculed as a miserable shuffle.

Right Hon. Arthur J. Balfour, the former Unionist leader, who followed Premier Asquith in the house of commons, promptly put his finger on one of the weakest spots in the government's explanation by asking why, if the troops were only to protect the stores, were the officers told that they would be excused from duty if they lived in Ulster. The fact was, said Mr. Balfour, that the government had found that the army was not willing to be an instrument of coercion.

The government is evidently up against a fact which it did not foresee and is now industriously trying to cover up its tracks. The Unionists are convinced that the army cannot in any event be compelled to fight Ulster, and for that reason the government cannot force that province to accept home rule.

"It may pass the home rule bill," says the Daily Mail, "but the rock of Ulster will remain, and on that rock the government will shatter its strength, even though it follows John Redmond's advice of 'full steam ahead.' Ulster stands armed, unconquered and unconquerable. She cannot be coerced and she cannot be fooled. She will not be sacrificed because the ministers have not the power to sacrifice her."

This is a fair sample of the comment of the Unionist papers. On the other hand the Liberal press voices the indignation felt by the bulk of the government coalition.

"The country is faced with the gravest issue that has arisen in our time," says the Daily News and Leader. "It is whether we are to be governed by parliament or by the army. The power of the house of lords is gone and it is now the army to which the Tories look to keep the Democracy in check and the aristocracy in power. It is this monstrous assumption with which the government will now have to deal. The country will look to them to deal with it in a spirit worthy of a great people who are proud of its free institutions and popular liberties."

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Fiala, who wires from Santarem, Brazil, says a telegram from Colonel Roosevelt from Bonifacio, Matto Grosso province, informs him that all the Roosevelt party are in good health. Fiala expects to rejoin Colonel Roosevelt at Manaus.

SIR GEORGE RICHARDSON.

Leader of Ulster Army Organized to Fight Home Rule.

Germes get under the skin and in between places, and it is hard to get rid of them. Put sores or pimples follow.



Skin Blemishes
Caused By Germs
soon destroys these germs and keeps them clean and healthy until nature heals them. It is CLEAN, PURE AND HEALING.
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INTERCOASTAL CANAL THE LATEST PROJECT

Congress Appropriates \$1, 500,000 for Enterprise.

Washington, March 24.—Along the coast line of the Atlantic states an intercoastal canal seems to be assured as a result of action taken by the house, which, by formal vote, went on record in favor of the purchase of the Delaware and Chesapeake canal, agitated for so many years by the shipping interests of the east. The purchase of the canal is authorized by the pending river and harbor bill which is now under consideration in the house. The bill provides an appropriation of \$1,500,000 for the purchase of the Delaware and Chesapeake canal. It is understood that if obstacles appear in the way of the purchase of the property the project to purchase it will be abandoned and in the building of the intercoastal waterway planned the government will parallel the Chesapeake canal by way of what is known as the Sassafras river route.

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TERSE TELEGRAMS

Stored cotton valued at \$2,500,000 was destroyed by fire at Bombay.

Cash gifts totalling \$4,428,000 were made to libraries in the United States during 1913.

The senate has spent \$163,514 for investigating committees in a little more than four years.

Fire at Durham, N. C., destroyed the municipal building, postoffice, theater and Duke building, entailing a loss of \$2,000,000.

The Indiana Progressive state convention will be held at Indianapolis on April 16, instead of May 12, the date set originally.

The dreadnought Oklahoma has been successfully launched, Miss Lorraine Cruse, daughter of Governor Lee Cruse of Oklahoma, acting as sponsor.

The senate has passed a bill authorizing the carrying in the mails of bulbs, seeds and plants and bushes at four-class rates instead of second-class as at present.

Notwithstanding the concern shown by administration leaders over the delay in congress in taking up the free tolls question, they profess to have a safe majority in the house.

Mexican federales have succeeded in retaking Las Vacas, which they vacated to the rebels last week. After recapturing the town they hanged a number of the rebel prisoners.

The Japanese diet has been prodded by the emperor owing to the inability of the house of peers and house of representatives to agree on the appropriations for the navy.

Forty-one blooded horses belonging to the service school on the United States military reservation at Fort Riley, Kan., were destroyed in a fire which burned the school stables.

The famous old Southern hotel at St. Louis, closed two years ago, will reopen on May 1 as a "tipless" hotel. The Missouri Athletic club will occupy rooms in the building, which has been made fireproof.

Chamberlain's Tablets for Constipation.

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CHAPTER XII.**Sara Wrandall Finds the Truth.**
Sara had kept the three Wrands all over for luncheon.**"My dear,"** said Mrs. Redmond Wrandall, as she stood before Hetty's portrait at the end of the long living-room, "I must say that Brandon has succeeded in catching that lovely little something that makes her so—what shall I say?—so mysterious? Is that what I want? The word is as elusive as the expression."**"Subtle is the word you want, mother,"** said Vivian, standing beside Leslie, tall, slim and aristocratic, her hands behind her back, her manner one of absolute indifference. Vivian was more than handsome; she was striking.**"There isn't anything subtle about Hetty,"** said Sara, with a laugh. "She's quite ingenuous."

Leslie was pulling at his mustache, and frowning slightly. The sunburn on his nose and forehead had begun to peel off in chappy little flakes.

"Ripping likeness, though," was his comment.**"Oh, perfect,"** said his mother. "Really wonderful. It will make Brandon famous."**"She's so healthy-looking,"** said Vivian.**"English,"** remarked Leslie, as if that covered everything.**"Nonsense,"** cried the elder Mrs. Wrandall, lifting her lorgnette again. "Pure, honest, unmixed blood, that's what it is. There is birth in that girl's face."**"You're always talking about birth, mother,"** said her son sourly, as he turned away.**"It's a good thing to have,"** said his mother with conviction.**"It's an easy thing to get in America,"** said he, pulling out his cigarette case.

It was then that Sara prevailed upon them to stop for luncheon. "Hetty always takes these long walks in the morning, and she will be disappointed if she finds you haven't waited."

"Oh, as for that—" began Leslie and stopped, but he could not have been more lucid if he had uttered the sentence in full.**"Why didn't you pick her up and bring her home with you?"** asked Sara, as they moved off in the direction of the porch.**"She seemed to be taking Brandy out for his morning exercise,"** said he surlily. "Far be it from me to—Umph!"

Sara repressed the start of surprise. She thought Hetty was alone.

"She will bring him in for luncheon, I suppose," she said carelessly, although there was a slight contraction of the eyelids. "He is a privileged character."

It was long past the luncheon hour when Hetty came in, flushed and warm. She was alone, and she had been walking rapidly.

"Oh, I'm sorry to be so late," she apologized, darting a look of anxiety at Sara. "We grew careless with time. Am I shockingly late?"

She was shaking hands with Mrs. Redmond Wrandall as she spoke. Leslie and Vivian stood by, rigidly awaiting their turn. Neither appeared to be especially cordial.

"What is the passing of an hour, my dear," said the old lady, "to one who is young and can spare it?"**"I did not expect you—I mean to say, nothing was said about luncheon, was there, Sara?"** She was in a pretty state of confusion.**"No,"** said Leslie, breaking in; "we butted in, that's all. How are you?" He clasped her hand and bent over it. She was regarding him with slightly dilated eyes. He misinterpreted the steady scrutiny. "Oh, it will all peel off in a day or two," he explained, going a shade redder.**"When did you return?"** she asked.**"I thought tomorrow was—"****"Leslie never has any tomorrows, Miss Castleton,"** explained Vivian. "He always does tomorrow's work today. That's why he never has any troubles ahead of him."**"What rot!"** exclaimed Leslie.**"Where is Mr. Booth?"** inquired Sara. "Wouldn't he come in, Hetty?"**"I—I didn't think to ask him to stop for luncheon,"** she replied, and then hurried off to her room to make herself presentable.

Hetty was in a state of nervous excitement during the luncheon. The encounter with Booth had not resulted at all as she had fancied it would. She had betrayed herself in a most disconcerting manner, and now was more deeply involved than ever before. She had been determined at the outset, she had failed, and now he had a claim—an incontestable claim against her. She found it difficult to meet Sara's steady, questioning gaze. She wanted to be alone.

After luncheon, Leslie drew Sara aside.

"I must say she doesn't seem especially overjoyed to see me," he

growled. "She's as cool as ice."

"What do you expect, Leslie?" she demanded with some asperity.**"I can't stand this much longer, Sara,"** he said. "Don't you see how things are going? She's losing her heart to Booth."**"I don't see how we can prevent it."****"By gad, I'll have another try at it—tonight. I say, has she said—anything?"****"She pities you,"** she said, a malicious joy in her soul. "That's akin to something else, you know."**"Confound it all, I don't want to be pitied!"****"Then I'd advise you to defer your 'try' at it,"** she remarked.**"I'm mad about her, Sara. I can't sleep, I can't think, I can't—yes, I can eat, but it doesn't taste right to me. I've just got to have it settled. Why, people are beginning to notice the change in me. They say all sorts of things. About my liver, and all that sort of thing. I'm going to settle it tonight. It's been nearly three weeks now. She's surely had time to think it over; how much better everything will be for her, and all that. She's no fool, Sara. And do you know what Vivian's doing this very instant over there in the corner? She's inviting her to spend a fortnight over at our place. If she comes—well, that means the engagement will be announced at once."****"Sara did not marvel at his assurance in the face of what had gone before. She knew him too well. In spite of the original rebuff, he was thoroughly satisfied in his own mind that Hetty Castleton would not be such a fool as to refuse him the second time.****"It is barely possible, Leslie,"** she said, "that she may consider Brandon Booth quite as good a catch as you, and infinitely better looking at the present moment."**"It's this beastly sunburn,"** he lamented, rubbing his nose gently, thinking first of his person. An instant later he was thinking of the other half of the declaration. "That's just what I've been afraid of," he said. "I told you what would happen if that portrait nonsense went on forever. It's your fault, Sara."**"But I have reason to believe she will not accept him, if it goes so far as that. You are quite safe in that direction."****"Gad, I hate to risk it,"** he muttered. "I have a feeling she's in love with him."**"Vivian approached. "Sara, you must let me have Miss Castleton for the first two weeks in July,"** she said serenely.**"I can't do it, Vivian,"** said the other promptly. "I can't bear the thought of being alone in this big old barn**"Sara suddenly put her hands over her eyes. A single moan escaped her lips—a hoarse gasp of pain.****"Dearest!"** cried Hetty, springing to her side.**"Sara threw her head up and met her with a cold, repelling look.****"Wait!"** she commanded. "The time has come when you should know what is in my mind, and has been for months. It concerns you. I expect you to marry Leslie Wrandall."**Hetty stopped short.****"How can you jest with me, Sara?"** she cried, suddenly indignant.**"I am not jesting,"** said Sara lev-**"You—you—really mean—what you have just said?"** The puzzled look gave way to one of revulsion. A great shudder swept over her.**"Leslie Wrandall must pay his brother's debt to you."****Sara laughed softly. "I have meant it almost from the beginning," she said. "It came to my mind the day that Challis was buried. It has never been out of it for an instant since that day. Now you understand."****If she expected Hetty to fall into a fit of weeping, to collapse, to plead with her for mercy, she was soon to find herself mistaken. The girl straightened up suddenly and met her gaze with one in which there was the fierce determination. Her eyes were steady, her bosom heaved.****"And I have loved you so devotedly—so blindly,"** she said, in low tones of scorn. "You have been hating me all these months while I thought you were loving me. What a fool I have been! I might have known. You couldn't love me."**"When Leslie asks you tonight to marry him, you are to say that you will do so,"** said Sara, betraying no sign of having heard the bitter words.**"I shall refuse, Sara,"** said Hetty every vestige of color gone from her face.**"There is an alternative,"** announced the other deliberately.**"You will expose me to—him? To his family?"****"I shall turn you over to them, to let them do what they will with you. If you go as his wife, the secret is safe. If not, they may have you as you really are, to destroy, to annihilate. Take your choice, my dear."****"And you, Sara?"** asked the girl quietly. "What explanation will you have to offer for all these months of protection?"**"Just a minute, Viv,"** he called out.**"What does Miss Castleton say about coming?"** It was an eager question. Much depended on the reply.**"I haven't asked her,"** said his sister succinctly. "How could I, without first consulting Sara?"**"Her companion stared. "Has the prospect no terror for you?"****"Not now. Not since I have found you out. The thing I have feared all along has come to pass. I am relieved, now that you show me just where I truly stand. But, I asked: what of you?"****"The world is more likely to applaud than to curse me, Hetty. It likes a new sensation. My change of heart will appear quite natural."****"Are you sure that the world will applaud your real design? You hate the Wrands. Will they be charitable toward you when the truth is given out? Will Leslie applaud you? Listen, please: I am trying to save you from yourself, Sara. You will fail in everything you have hoped for. You will****"yes."****"And you have told him that his love is returned?"****"I couldn't help it. I was carried away. I did not mean to let him see that I—"****"You are such a novice in the busi-****"ness of love,"** said Sara sneeringly.**"You are in the habit of being carried away. I fear."****"Oh, Sara!"****"You must put a stop to all this at once. How can you think of marrying him, Hetty Glynn? Send him—"****"I do not intend to marry him,"** said the girl, suddenly calm and dignified.**"I am to draw but one conclusion, I suppose,"** said the other, regarding the girl intently.**"What do you mean?"****"Is it necessary to ask that question?"****The puzzled expression remained in the girl's eyes for a time, and then slowly gave way to one of absolute horror.****"How dare you suggest such a thing?"** she cried, turning pale, then crimson. "How dare you?"**Sara laughed shortly. "Isn't the inference a natural one? You are forgetting getting yourself."****"I understand,"** said the girl, through pallid lips. Her eyes were dark with pain and misery. "You think I am altogether bad." She drooped perceptibly.**"To help me!"** cried Sara, astonished in spite of herself.**"Yes. To save you from execration—and even worse."****"There is no moral wrong in mar-****"riage with Leslie Wrandall,"** said Sara, returning to her own project.**"No moral wrong!"** cried Hetty, aghast.**"But you went there with him,"** insisted the other, her eyes hard as steel. "It doesn't matter whether he was married—or free. You went."**Hetty threw herself upon her com-****"panion's breast and wound her strong arms about her."****"You went to Burton's inn,"** senten-**tiously.****"But, Sara, you must believe me. I did not know he was—married. For God's sake, do me the justice to—"****"But you went there with him,"** insisted the other, her eyes hard as steel. "It doesn't matter whether he was married—or free. You went."**Hetty threw herself upon her com-****"panion's breast and wound her strong arms about her."****"To help me!"** cried Sara, aston-**"ished in spite of herself."****"Yes. 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OFFICIAL REPORT ON KILLING OF BENTON

This Does Not Bear Out Villa's Statement.

Washington, March 24.—The official report of Consul Perceval on the killing of William S. Benton at Juarez, received at the embassy here, says "no pistol shots" were fired in the fight which ended in the ranchman's death, leaving the inference that he was stabbed.

Consul Perceval's report was the result of his investigation conducted at the order of Sir Cecil Spring Rice, the British ambassador. It does not make any definite charge as to the manner of Benton's death, further than to establish that it was not by shooting, as was first said by Villa, who explained that the Englishman had been executed by a firing squad after court-martial. Friends of Benton on the border charged that Villa himself had shot the ranchman with a pistol.

The broad inference that Benton was stabbed is regarded as especially significant in connection with other information here that the Constitutional commission which investigated the affair has found that Benton was stabbed by one of Villa's officers, who is expected to be tried for the crime. Consul Perceval's report also states that Benton went to Villa unarmed and to protest against the theft of his cattle, and that finding agrees with the contentions of Benton's friends.

HE WAS A PERFECT LADY.

And So Bewitching That Suffrage Converts and a Proposal Came His Way.

The famous Winsted (Conn.) correspondent submits the following:

Clad in his wife's finest raiment, with a corset to give his form a feminine appearance, and crowned with a plume bedecked hat, Lester Barnes went out on a lark and carried the impersonation so well that his best friends did not recognize him, and he received a proposal of marriage.

After startling customers in Case's drug store, where he purchased cigarettes and lighted one, he visited a club where no women are admitted. He is a member, and, using his key to get in through a side door, he walked into the parlor, where he introduced himself to his friends as a suffrage campaigner.

All present except two signed up. The two were officers, and they politely asked the "suffragist" to leave after showing "her" the house rules.

Barnes disappeared as mysteriously as he entered, and not until the next day did the members know the identity of their unbeknown guest.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Prevailing Current Prices For Grain and Livestock.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.
Wheat—Wagon, 93c; No. 2 red, 93½c. Corn—No. 3, 70c. Oats—No. 2 white, 42c. Hay—Baled, \$15.50@17.50; timothy, \$16.00@18.00; mixed, \$15.50@16.50. Cattle—\$3.00@9.00. Hogs—\$7.00@9.00. Sheep—\$3.50@5.75. Lambs—\$5.00@7.50. Receipts—Cattle, 400; hogs, 2,000; sheep, 50.

At Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 93½c. Corn—No. 2, 72c. Oats—No. 2, 42c. Cattle—\$4.00@8.25. Hogs—\$6.00@9.10. Sheep—\$3.00@5.50. Lambs—\$6.00@8.25.

At Chicago.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 95½c. Corn—No. 2, 69c. Oats—No. 2, 42c. Cattle—Steers, \$5.00@9.60; stockers and feeders, \$5.00@8.20. Hogs—\$5.00@8.85. Sheep—\$4.85@6.40. Lambs—\$6.85@8.00.

At St. Louis.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 95½c. Corn—No. 2, 71½c. Oats—No. 2, 41½c. Cattle—Steers, \$5.00@9.25. Hogs—\$6.50@8.90. Sheep—\$5.25@6.45. Lambs—\$7.00@7.65.

At East Buffalo.

Cattle—\$3.75@9.25. Hogs—\$7.50@9.30. Sheep—\$3.00@6.40. Lambs—\$5.50@8.40.

At Toledo.

May, \$1.00%; July, 91½c; cash, 99c.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING HELP WANTED LOST AND FOUND, FOR SALE, TO LET.

WANTED—Names of persons who will board and room at reasonable rates, two or more girls from the country who come to Seymour for work at the shirt factory. Leave name at Shirt factory or address R. M. C. care Republican office. m25d

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WANTED—Woman to assist in work at New Commercial Hotel. mlld-tf

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FOR SALE—The following second-hand machinery in good condition: one 35 horse power Atlas engine; one 45 horse power Westinghouse engine; one 30 horse power Morrison type boiler; One American Street Batch mixer, 600 to 700 Sq. Yds. capacity; one Buffalo Batch mixer; two Dean pumps 2½in. suction; two gravel buckets. For prices address, Union Asphalt Construction Co., 236 American Central Life Bldg., Indianapolis, Indiana. M24d

FOR SALE—Two pure bred Duroc Jersey sows, bred to farrow in April; three pure Duroc male hogs, old enough for service. J. B. Love, R. F. D. 5, Seymour. m9d&wtf

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FOR SALE—Motorcycles, Bicycles, Tires, Sundries and Repairing at Comer's, 5 East Second St. m28d

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Seymour Temperatures.

The following are the maximum and minimum temperatures as shown by the government thermometers at the Seymour volunteer weather observation station and reported by J. Thos. Hays, observer. The figures are for twenty-four hours ending at noon:

Max. Min.
March 24, 1914 67 30

Weather Indications.
Fair and warmer tonight. Wednesday unsettled.

Hear Dr. Taylor Tonight.

Every Sunday School worker should hear Rev. F. E. Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Indianapolis at the Baptist church here tonight at 7:30. He is one of the best speakers in Indiana. A social hour will follow the address. All are invited to attend as guests of the First Baptist Sunday School. The program will begin promptly at 7:30.

Child Dead.

Orville D. Baker, aged three years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Baker, East Seventh street, died this morning after a short illness of pneumonia and measles. The funeral will occur at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Burial at Riverview cemetery. Another child in the family is also sick with measles and for this reason the funeral cannot be held at the home.

Address at Consolidated School.

G. M. Frier, of Purdue University, will speak at the Consolidated school house southeast of Seymour Friday evening, April 3, at 7:30 o'clock. All are invited to hear his address.

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Shepherd Checks—Always favored for spring Suits, are available in all sizes of checks from 38 in. to 50 in. wide, from 50c up.

Crinkle and French Wool Crepes are gaining popularity almost equal to that of the finest silk crepes. They are 42 in. wide in desirable shades at 85c and \$1.00 per yard.

Tussah Crepe, a splendid wearing material, rich and silky in texture, 42 in. wide at \$1.25 per yard.

Scores of pretty weaves in good widths, and new as well as standard cloths, such as serges, panama, cords and others from 50c to \$1.50 per yard.

New White Dress Cottons

The white goods department fairly breathes—Spring—so filled with beautiful snowy white materials are its shelves.

White Ratine, also printed rice, texture with checks and brocaded figures, from 25c to \$1.50 per yard.

Crepes, in every weave the imagination can conceive, plain or printed, brocaded, plisse, silk and cotton crepe from 12½c to 50c per yard.

Voile, always popular, is shown in its many variations, plain or shadow weaves, crepe voile, corded voile, voile marquisette, from 25c to 75c per yard.

GOLD MINE DEPARTMENT STORE

RICHMOND CLOSES OPTION CAMPAIGN

(Continued from first page)
associated with Earlham College, both being graduates. The college at a mass meeting in chapel voted unanimously for the "dry" cause. The students living on the campus did not have a vote.

Another interesting feature is Gordon's charge that there are 105 "whiskey joints in dry Marion" and that Kokomo is overrun with "blind tigers." These statements have been denied from the cities involved. Gordon named eleven alleged "tigers" in Marion and offered to furnish 90 more names to the citizen's committee. Here is a typical paragraph from Gordon's pen:

"The plain truth is that the Anti-Saloon League is working hand in glove with the whiskey ring. It is a coalition of the Puritan and the Blackleg. Every additional foot of territory means more whiskey consumed and less temperance."

And Nicholson answers:
"Why should Gordon insist that

Richmond's prosperity shall continue to be handicapped by the existence of 56 business houses which the Commercial Club never dares advertise?"

MADE GOOD HIS GETAWAY

Bank Robber Shot Two and Stole Auto to Get \$1,200.

Altoona, Pa., March 24.—While three of the clerks employed in the Union National bank were out for lunch, a masked robber, driving up in an automobile stolen a few minutes earlier from a garage, walked into the bank, shot and slightly wounded Cashier A. F. Ruppert, leaped over the wire partition of the cashier's compartment and got away with \$2,400 in paper money. As he left the building the bandit shot and slightly wounded William Blackburn, who was standing just outside the building. The robber then ran to the taxicab and, putting on full speed, dashed away.

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